Liber F F said sherriffe upon sight of this Order, Hee the said Bayley sattisfying all sherriffs & Clarks ffees whatsoeuer to this day that hath uerte accrued or Occationed by the sd Stapleforts detaining such Goods [p. 176] from the pet As allsoe by the said sherriffs seizing them into Custody for the use and upon the said Bayleys Request by warrt from the Leiutennt Generall

Then Came W^m Caluert Esg his Lordsps Attorney and desires his informacon may be read w^{ch} hee putteth into Court ags^t the shipe or Vessell Hopewell of King saile in Ireland w^{ch} is as followeth—

To the Honble the Gouernor & Councell

Memorandum that William Caluert Escs Attorney Generall for the Rigt Honble the Lord Propt who as well for the said Lord Proprietary as for the Honble Charles Caluert Esca Leiutnt Generall & cheife Gouernor of this Prouince as for himselfe followeth. Comes into Court of the said Lord Propr before the Gouernor & Councell the fifth day of January one thowsand six hundred sixty ffiue in his proper person and as well for the Lord Propr as for the said Charles Caluert Esc Gouernor of Maryland as alsoe for himselfe giues the Court afores^d here to understand, That whereas a Certaine Act of Parliament of King Charles the second that now is begunn att Westminster the eighth of May one thowsand six hundred sixty one in the thireteenth yeare of his Raigne and theire Continued till the nineteenth of May in the foureteenth yeare of his Maties Raigne and thence Prorogued to the Eighteenth of ffebruary then next following and there Continued till the seauen and twentyth of July in the fifteenth yeare of his Maties Raigne and then Prorogued to the sixteenth of March then next following It stands Enacted by the Au-[p. 177] thority of the said Parliament, That from and after The fiue & twentyth day of March One thowsand six hundred sixty floure Noe Comodity of the Growth produccon or manufacture of Europe shall bee imported into any land Island plantacon Colony Territory or place to his maty belonging or which shall belong hereafter unto or be in the possession of his majesty his heires & successors in Asia Africa or America (Tangier only excepted) but what shall be bona fide & wthout fraud laden & shipped in England Wales or the towne of Berwick uppon Tweede & in English built shippinge or which were bona fide bought before the first day of October One thowsand six hundred sixty & two and had such Certifficate thereof as is directed in one Act passed the last sessions of this present Parliamt Entituled an Act for preuenting Frauds & regulating abuses in his Maties Customes, & whereof the mast^r & three fourths of the marriners att least are English and which shall be carryed directly thence to the said lands Islands plantacons Colonies Territoryes or places & from no other place or places wtsoeuer any law statute or Vsage to the Con-